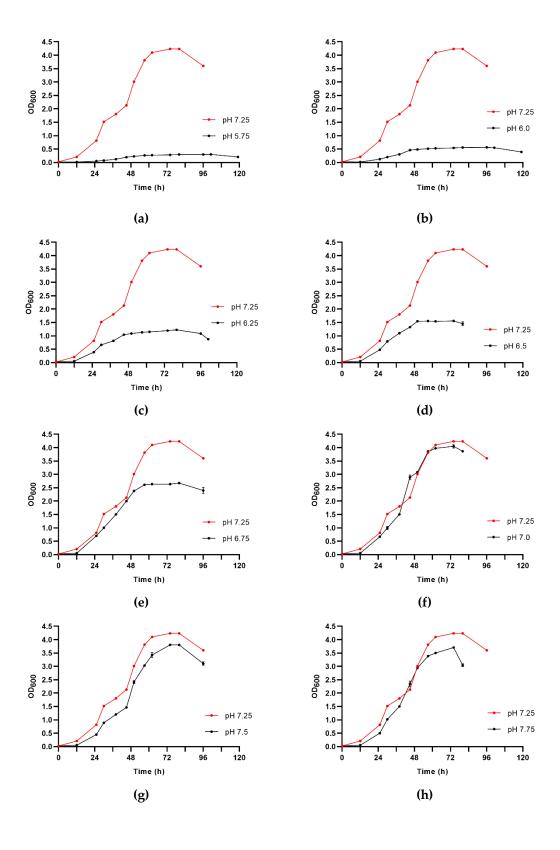
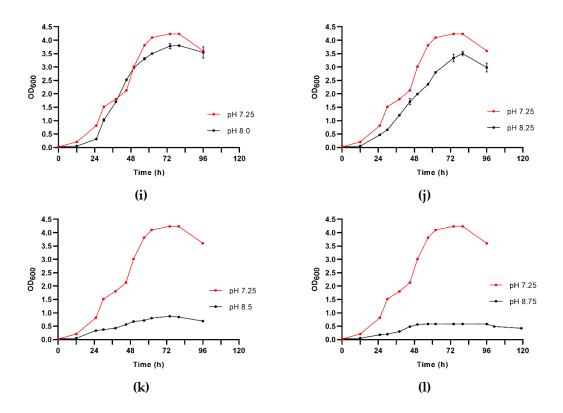
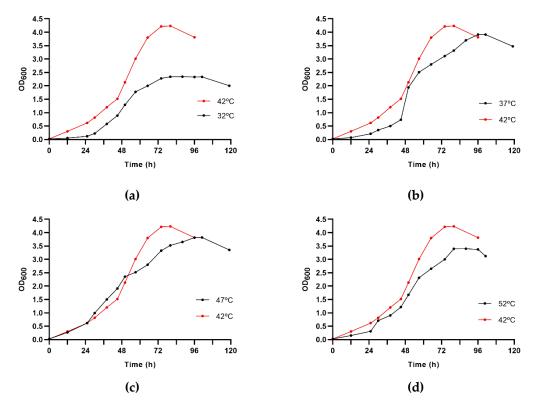


**Figure S1.** Growth of *Hfx. mediterranei* R4 (●) under standard culture conditions (20% SW, 20 mM NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, 50 mM MOPS, 0.03 mM FeCl<sub>3</sub>, 7.5 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 22.75 mM glucose. The pH was adjusted to 7.3 and grown at 42 °C. No metal addition.) and (●) under salt stress conditions: a) 10% SW; b) 12.5% SW; c) 15% SW; d) 17.5% SW; e) 22.5% SW; f) 25% SW; g) 27.5% SW; h) 30% SW; i) 32.5% SW.

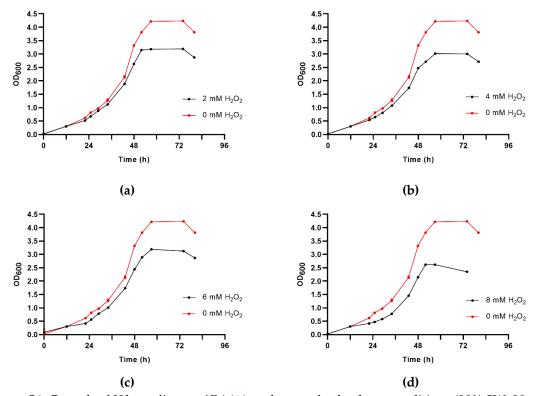




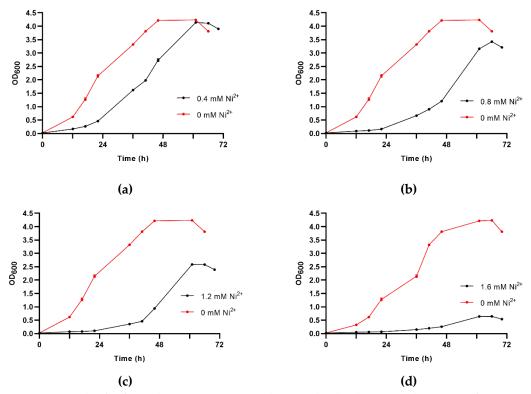
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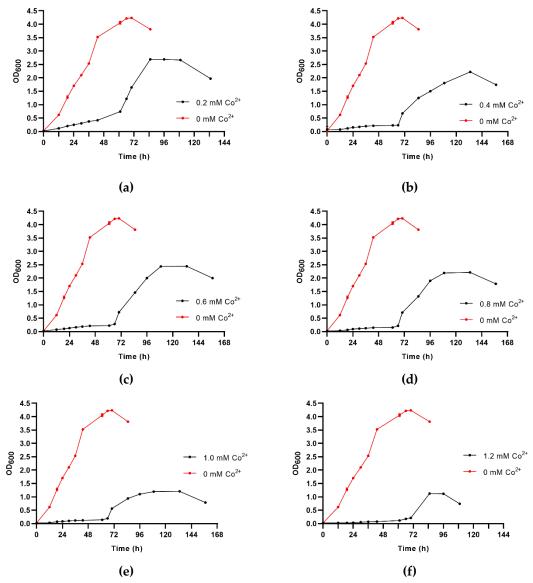
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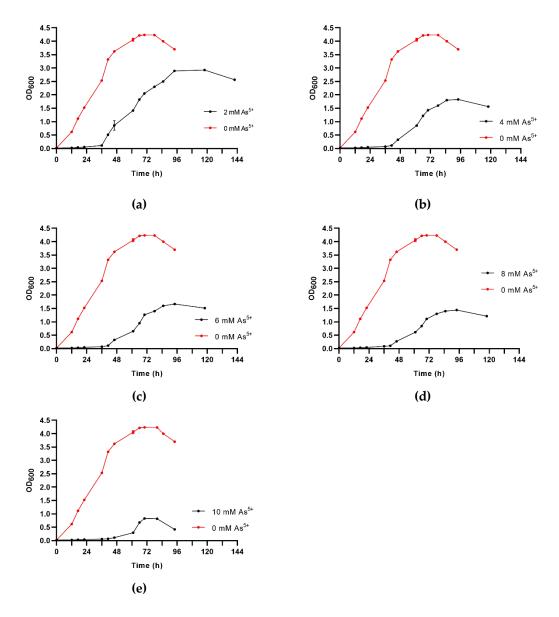
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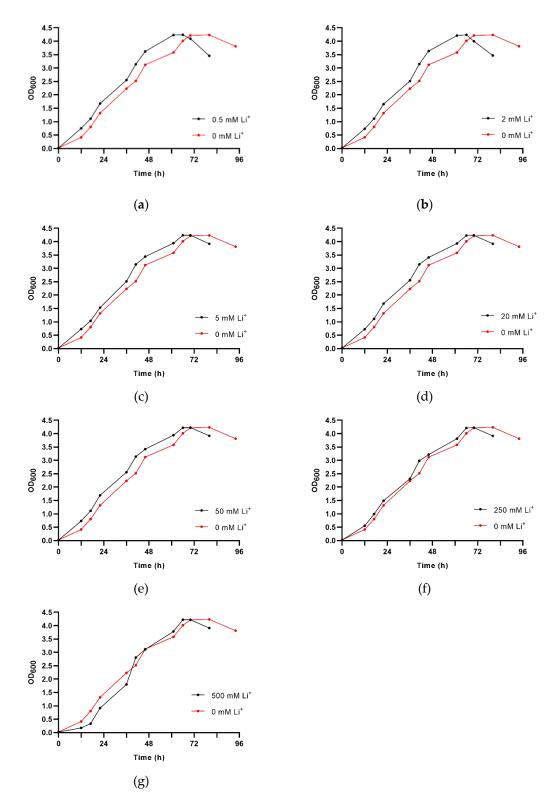
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**Figure S6.** Growth of *Hfx. mediterranei* R4 (●) under standard culture conditions (20% SW, 20 mM NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, 50 mM MOPS, 0.03 mM FeCl<sub>3</sub>, 7.5 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 22.75 mM glucose. The pH was adjusted to 7.3 and grown at 42 °C. No metal addition.) and (●) under metal stress conditions induced by cobalt ( $Co^{2+}$ ): a) 0.2 mM; b) 0.4 mM; c) 0.6 mM; d) 0.8 mM; e) 1.0 mM; f) 1.2 mM.



**Figure S7.** Growth of *Hfx. mediterranei* R4 (●) under standard culture conditions (20% SW, 20 mM NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, 50 mM MOPS, 0.03 mM FeCl<sub>3</sub>, 7.5 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 22.75 mM glucose. The pH was adjusted to 7.3 and grown at 42 °C. No metal addition.) and (●) under metal stress conditions induced by arsenic (As<sup>5+</sup>): a) 2 mM; b) 4 mM; c) 6 mM; d) 8 mM; e) 10 mM.



**Figure S8.** Growth of *Hfx. mediterranei* R4 (●) under standard culture conditions (20% SW, 20 mM NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, 50 mM MOPS, 0.03 mM FeCl<sub>3</sub>, 7.5 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 22.75 mM glucose. The pH was adjusted to 7.3 and grown at 42 °C. No metal addition.) and (●) under metal stress conditions induced by lithium (Li<sup>+</sup>): a) 0.5 mM; b) 2 mM; c) 5 mM; d) 20 mM; e) 50 mM; f) 250 mM; g) 500 mM.